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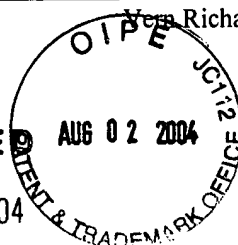
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Applicant: Vern Richard Hoppes, et al.

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For: Infinitely Variable, Order Specific, Holistic Assembly Process Control System

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Filing of Declaration

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